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Schermack Control Perfin Check List

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After several years of collecting Schermack Control Perfins on cover and as single stamps, I have finally gotten organized enough to put together this inventory check list.

Not all the stamps represented by blank squares in the listing are known to exist. The list includes perfins which have been dropped from the new 1998 Perfin Catalog.

The delisted stamps remain in this check list in the hopes that members who may use this inventory sheet to sort their collections will be encouraged to report finding any of these missing stamps which seem to have disappeared since publication of the 1978 Catalog.

Filling in all the blanks is not probably do-able but the fun in collecting is in trying for the impossible--so have a fun evening this winter and see how many x's you can enter into the check sheet.

Editor's Note: Al Glass has written extensively about Schermack perfins. His checklist is reproduced on this page and the facing page. Feel free to copy it and add it to your album as an on-going inventory. If you can provide additional information about Schermack perfins or have questions about them, you may wish to contact Al Glass at 383 Banbury Road, Mundelein, IL 60060-1108.

25 YEARS AGO

Auction prices continued to make the news when an analysis of Auction 15 showed that the average A-rated perfin had sold for \$3.08 (The high price was a stunning \$8.60, but a couple of A-rates sold for 80¢ each!). President Joe Balough reported that the year started with a membership of 514. Jim Harris became the first paid Life Member of the Club. L. R. Murray resigned as auction chairman because of failing health and Balough assumed the job as interim chairman.

Perfin #90-	Literal #	User Company	3	3	3	3	3	3	4	4	
			4	4	4	4	8	8	0	0	
			3	4	5	6	3	4	8	9	
1	0	Review of Reviews; Spencer Trask									
2	1	Spencer Trask									
3	3	Smith, Gray									
4	4										
5	5	Hill Publications									
6	7	Brunswick-Balke-Collender									
7	9	Fidelity Phenix									
8	13	Cosmopolitan Magazine									
9	14	Success Magazine									
10	17										
11	19										
12	25	David Williams, Iron Age									
13	28	Tax Payers League									
14	36	C.A. Strelinger Co.									
15	37	Babson Bros.; The World Today									
16	45	Hammacher Schlemmer									
17	46										
18	47	Ohio Electric									
19	48	Kabo Corset Co.									
20	49										
21	56	Chalmers Motor Co.									
22	58										
23	68										
24	69	National Fire Insurance									
25	79	Third National Bank									
26	124	A.Saks									
27	127										
28	134	Smith, Gray									
29	136										
30	137	J. Walter Thompson; Cosmopolitan									
31	139										
32	149	Detroit & Cleveland Navigation									
33	179										
34	236	Quaker Oats; Cosmo; Motor									
35	237										
36	246										
37	349										
38	367										
39	378	Babson Bros.									
40	379										

